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Patent  
Case No. 10690/011

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re: patent application of	)	
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Edward Ludovicus Koper, et al.	)	
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Serial No. 10/549,769	)	Examiner: Unknown
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Filed: March 10, 2004	)	Group Art Unit: Unknown
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PRODUCTION OF LINEAR ALKYL	)	
BENZENE	)	

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Dear Sir:

The subscribing attorney of record hereby requests a one (1) month extension of time through and until July 27, 2006, to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts issued in this case. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fees and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in accordance with the attached transmittal.

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